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Sir:

As a means of complying with the duty of disclosure Applicant, through the undersigned attorney, submits this Information Disclosure Statement.

In corresponding foreign application JP 2000-22370, the Japanese Examiner cited documents considered to be relevant. The cited documents are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 and copies are attached.

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